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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK

Applicant:

Chris Hyser

Application No.:

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Filed:

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Title:

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING AN EXTERNAL

TRUSTED AGENT FOR ONE OR MORE COMPUTER

SYSTEMS

Examiner: Beatrice L. T. Koempel

Art Unit:

2196

Docket No.: 200205371-1

Date:

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action date December 18, 2006, extend the time to respond two months, from March 18, 2007 to May 18, 2007. The Petition for Extension and requisite fee are enclosed. Please amend the application as follows: